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### BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

Arizona Compration Commission

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MIKE GLEASON, Chairman WILLIAM A. MUNDELL JEFF HATCH-MILLER KRISTIN K. MAYES GARY PIERCE

Richard Bradford (CRD# 2706290) and Cindy Bradford (a.k.a. Cindy White).

Respondent.

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DOCKET NO. S-20605A-08-0377

DECISION NO. **70544** 

ORDER TO CEASE AND DESIST, FOR RESTITUTION, FOR ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTIES AND CONSENT TO SAME

BY: CINDY BRADFORD (A.K.A. CINDY WHITE)

Respondent Cindy Bradford a.k.a. Cindy White ("Respondent" or "C. BRADFORD") elects to permanently waive any right to a hearing and appeal under Articles 11 and 12 of the Securities Act of Arizona, A.R.S. § 44-1801 et seq. ("Securities Act") and Articles 7 and 8 of the Arizona Investment Management Act, A.R.S. § 44-3101 et seq. ("Investment Management Act") with respect to this Order To Cease And Desist, For Restitution, For Administrative Penalties and Consent to Same ("Order"). Respondent admits the jurisdiction of the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission"); neither admits nor denies the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained in this Order; and consents to the entry of this Order by the Commission.

I.

#### FINDINGS OF FACT

1. Respondent was at all relevant times the spouse of Respondent RICHARD BRADFORD ("BRADFORD"). Respondent was joined in this action under A.R.S. §§ 44-2031(C) and 44-3291(C) solely for purposes of determining the liability of the marital community.

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3. On October 7, 2008, the Commission entered the ORDER TO CEASE AND DESIST, ORDER FOR RESTITUTION, AND FOR ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTIES, Docket

No. S-20605A-08-0377 against BRADFORD ("BRADFORD ORDER").

At all times relevant, BRADFORD was acting for his own benefit and the benefit

4. In the BRADFORD ORDER, the Commission ordered that BRADFORD pay restitution and administrative penalties as a result of his conduct in violating A.R.S. §§ 44-1841, 44-1842, 44-1991, 44-3151, and 44-3241.

II.

### **CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

- 5. The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to Article XV of the Arizona Constitution, the Securities Act, and the Investment Management Act.
- 6. BRADFORD offered or sold securities within or from Arizona, within the meaning of A.R.S. §§ 44-1801(15), 44-1801(21), and 44-1801(26).
- 7. BRADFORD violated A.R.S. § 44-1841 by offering or selling securities that were neither registered nor exempt from registration.
- 8. BRADFORD violated A.R.S. § 44-1842 by offering or selling securities while neither registered as a dealer or salesman nor exempt from registration.
- 9. BRADFORD violated A.R.S. § 44-1991 by (a) employing a device, scheme, or artifice to defraud, (b) making untrue statements or misleading omissions of material facts, and/or (c) engaging in transactions, practices, or courses of business that operate or would operate as a fraud or deceit.
- 10. BRADFORD violated A.R.S. § 44-3151 by transacting business in this state as an investment adviser or investment adviser representative while neither licensed nor exempt.
  - 11. BRADFORD violated A.R.S. § 44-3241 by (a) employing a device, scheme, or

artifice to defraud, (b) making untrue statements or misleading omissions of material facts, (c) misrepresenting professional qualifications with the intent that the misrepresentation be relied on, and/or (d) engaging in transactions, practices, or courses of business that operate or would operate as a fraud or deceit.

- 12. BRADFORD's conduct is grounds for a cease and desist order pursuant to A.R.S. § 44-2032 and A.R.S. § 44-3292.
- 13. BRADFORD's conduct is grounds for an order of restitution pursuant to A.R.S. § 44-2032 and A.R.S. § 44-3292.
- 14. BRADFORD's conduct is grounds for administrative penalties under A.R.S. § 44-2036 and A.R.S. § 44-3296.
- 15. BRADFORD'S conduct binds the marital community pursuant to A.R.S. §§ 25-214 and 25-215.

### III.

### **ORDER**

THEREFORE, on the basis of the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Respondent's consent to the entry of this Order, attached and incorporated by reference, the Commission finds that the following relief is appropriate, in the public interest, and necessary for the protection of investors:

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Respondent complies with the attached Consent to Entry of Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, pursuant to A.R.S. § 44-2032 and A.R.S. § 44-3292, that the BRADFORD ORDER under Docket No. S-20605A-08-0377 entered against BRADFORD is a liability of the marital community of Respondent and BRADFORD. The marital community of Respondent shall, jointly and severally with BRADFORD, pay restitution to the Commission in the amount of \$1,298,416.36. Payment shall be made in full on the date of this Order. Any amount outstanding shall accrue interest at the rate of 10% per annum from the date of this Order

until paid in full. Payment shall be made to the "State of Arizona" to be placed in an interest-bearing account controlled by the Commission. The Commission shall disburse the funds on a pro-rata basis to investors shown on the records of the Commission. Any restitution funds that the Commission cannot disburse because an investor refuses to accept such payment shall be disbursed on a pro-rata basis to the remaining investors shown on the records of the Commission. Any funds that the Commission determines it is unable to or cannot feasibly disburse shall be transferred to the general fund of the state of Arizona.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, pursuant to A.R.S. § 44-2036 and A.R.S. § 44-3296, that the BRADFORD ORDER under Docket No. S-20605A-08-0377 entered against BRADFORD is a liability of the marital community of Respondent and BRADFORD. The marital community of Respondent shall, jointly and severally with BRADFORD, pay an administrative penalty in the amount of \$100,000.00. Payment shall be made to the "State of Arizona." Any amount outstanding shall accrue interest at the rate of 10% per annum from the date of this Order until paid in full. Payment shall be made in full on the date of this Order. The payment obligations for these administrative penalties shall be subordinate to any restitution obligations ordered herein and shall become immediately due and payable only after restitution payments have been paid in full or upon Respondent's default with respect to Respondent's restitution obligations.

For purposes of this Order, a bankruptcy filing by Respondent shall be an act of default. If Respondent does not comply with this Order, any outstanding balance may be deemed in default and shall be immediately due and payable.

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1	IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that if Respondent fails to comply with this order, the
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3	superior court for an order of contempt.
4	IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Order shall become effective immediately.
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12	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, BRIAN C. McNEIL, Executive Director of the Arizona Corporation
13	Commission, have hereunto set my hand and caused the
14	official seal of the Commission to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Phoenix, this 840 day of
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### CONSENT TO ENTRY OF ORDER

- 1. Respondent C. BRADFORD, an individual, admits the jurisdiction of the Commission over the subject matter of this proceeding. Respondent acknowledges that Respondent has been fully advised of Respondent's right to a hearing to present evidence and call witnesses and Respondent knowingly and voluntarily waives any and all rights to a hearing before the Commission and all other rights otherwise available under Article 11 of the Securities Act, Article 7 of the Investment Management Act and Title 14 of the Arizona Administrative Code. Respondent acknowledges that this Order to Cease and Desist, For Restitution, For Administrative Penalties and Consent to Same ("Order") constitutes a valid final order of the Commission.
- 2. Respondent knowingly and voluntarily waives any right under Article 12 of the Securities Act and Article 8 of the Investment Management Act to judicial review by any court by way of suit, appeal, or extraordinary relief resulting from the entry of this Order.
- 3. Respondent acknowledges and agrees that this Order is entered into freely and voluntarily and that no promise was made or coercion used to induce such entry.
- 4. Respondent understands and acknowledges that Respondent has a right to seek counsel regarding this Order, and that Respondent has had the opportunity to seek counsel prior to signing this Order. Respondent acknowledges and agrees that, despite the foregoing, Respondent freely and voluntarily waives any and all right to consult or obtain counsel prior to signing this Order.
- 5. Respondent neither admits nor denies the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained in this Order. Respondent agrees that Respondent shall not contest the validity of the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law contained in this Order in any present or future administrative proceeding before the Commission or any other state agency concerning the denial or issuance of any license or registration required by the state to engage in the practice of any business or profession.

- 6. By consenting to the entry of this Order, Respondent agrees not to take any action or to make, or permit to be made, any public statement denying, directly or indirectly, any Finding of Fact or Conclusion of Law in this Order or creating the impression that this Order is without factual basis.
- 7. Respondent understands that this Order does not preclude the Commission from referring this matter to any governmental agency for administrative, civil, or criminal proceedings that may be related to the matters addressed by this Order.
- 8. Respondent understands that this Order does not preclude any other agency or officer of the state of Arizona or its subdivisions from instituting administrative, civil, or criminal proceedings that may be related to matters addressed by this Order.
- 9. Respondent agrees that Respondent will continue to cooperate with the Securities Division including, but not limited to, providing complete and accurate testimony at any hearing in this matter and cooperating with the state of Arizona in any related investigation or any other matters arising from the activities described in this Order.
- 10. Respondent acknowledges that any restitution or penalties imposed by the BRADFORD ORDER under Docket No. S-20605A-08-0377 entered against BRADFORD are obligations of both BRADFORD and the Respondent's marital community.
- 11. Respondent consents to the entry of this Order and agrees to be fully bound by its terms and conditions.
- 12. Respondent acknowledges and understands that if Respondent fails to comply with the provisions of the order and this consent, the Commission may bring further legal proceedings against Respondent, including application to the superior court for an order of contempt.
- 13. Respondent understands that default shall render Respondent liable to the Commission for its costs of collection and interest at the maximum legal rate.
- 14. Respondent agrees and understands that if Respondent fails to make any payment as required in the Order, any outstanding balance shall be in default and shall be immediately due and

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